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EUROPE.

BY THE ATLANTIC CABLE.

Napoleon Shoulders the Responsibility for Sedan.

PARIS, May 24.—The *Gaulois* publishes a letter from Emperor Napoleon, dated Chiselhurst, 12th May, and addressed to the Generals and Commandants of the French Army. In this communication the Emperor makes the following acknowledgment: "I am responsible for Sedan. The army fought heroically with an enemy double its strength. After four thousand had been killed or wounded, I saw the contest was merely one of desperation. The army's honor having been saved, I exercised my sovereign right and unfurled the flag of truce. It was impossible that the immolation of 60,000 men could save France. I obeyed a cruel, inexorable necessity. My heart was broken, but my conscience was tranquil."

Miss Nellie Grant was among the visitors present in the gallery of the French Assembly during the debate of Wednesday.

Miscellaneous Dispatches.

MADRID, May 24.—There is no change in the Ministerial situation. The present Cabinet insist upon their resignation. Labala declined to form a new ministry, owing to ill health. His Majesty has now requested Serrano to undertake the task.

LONDON, May 24.—The interest in the action of the United States Senate upon the proposed additional article of the treaty, is undimished. The leading articles of all the journals to-day are devoted to the subject. Joy is expressed over the probability that the proposition of Earl Granville will be favorably received.

LONDON, May 24.—The vessel colliding with the steamship Baltimore was the Spanish steamer Lorenzo Semprun. The luggage of the passengers of the Baltimore and the cargo in the after compartments were filled with water. A force of government workmen were sent to the relief of the Baltimore, and report that they are in hopes of saving the vessel.

VIENNA, May 24.—The Archduchess Sophia, mother of the Emperor Francis Joseph, is dangerously ill with typhoid fever. The latest bulletin reports that she is rapidly sinking.

MADRID, May 24.—Numbers of Carlists continue to surrender to the government troops. In some of the disaffected provinces, however, fresh bands have appeared the past few days. Though small, they are very active, and have cut the telegraph wires in various directions.

LONDON, May 24.—The Queen's birthday was observed to-day at Windsor with suitable Court festivities. The celebration in this city will take place Saturday week, by which time the Prince and Princess of Wales will have reached home, and will be able to take part in the festival.

Miss Kellogg made her fourth appearance last night at Her Majesty's Opera, Drury Lane, in the role of "Lucia di Lammermoor." The house was crowded, and the singer was enthusiastically applauded. The critics continue to praise both the acting and singing of the American prima donna.

LONDON, May 24.—The Atalanta and London crews have agreed on the 10th of June as the day for the race, and 4:30 P. M. as the hour for the start. The new boat ordered by the Atalanta is being made by Biffin and will be completed by Wednesday next. The *Pall Mall Gazette* says the American crew now pull in a style which is simply perfection, and that between it and the London the difference is plainly perceptible.

Marine News.

QUEENSTOWN, May 24.—The steamships Samaria, from Boston, and Java, from New York, have arrived.

The Markets.

LONDON, May 24, 5 P. M.—Consols, money 93⅝; account 93¾. American bonds—5-20s of '62, 90¼; 5-20s of '65, 87½; 5-20s 67, 93¾; 10-40s, 89. The weather throughout England is fair, but unfavorable to crops.

FRANKFORT, May 24.—5-20s of '62 opened at 96¼.

PARIS, May 24.—Rentes 55 francs 30 centimes. Specie in the Bank of France has increased 600,000 francs during the week.

LIVERPOOL, May 24.—Cotton firm; middling uplands 11¾d. California white wheat 12s 8dalls 10d; red spring 11s 8dalls 10d; red winter 12s 8d. Flour 27s 6dat8s. Corn 28s 9d.

POLITICAL.

Workingmen's National Convention—Grant and Wilson Nominated.

NEW YORK, May 24.—The Workingmen's National Convention met in this city yesterday afternoon, delegates being represented from thirty States. Col. Gibbons was chosen permanent President, and on taking the chair enlogized Grant for his action in regard to the eight-hour law. Resolutions were adopted embodying these principles: Reduction of the national debt; the unconditional settlement of the Alabama claims; the enforcement of the eight-hour law; the payment of interest as common national law; encouragement of ship building; giving United States mails exclusively to American built ships, and sympathy with nations struggling under oppression. Grant and Greeley were placed in nomination for the Presidency, and the first ballot resulted: Grant 204, Greeley 5. The nomination of Grant was made unanimous. Senator Henry Wilson was nominated for Vice President, receiving 160 votes to 25 for E. D. Morgan and 24 for Schuyler Colfax.

Foote Wants to Show His Gratitude to a Paternal Government.

NASHVILLE, May 24.—Henry S. Foote announces himself as a candidate for Congress. In his card he says: "Having been magnanimously relieved from civic disabilities about three days since by a wise and paternal government, and feeling desirous of making a proper display of gratitude therefor, I announce myself a candidate for a seat in the House of Representatives of the United States Congress for the State at large. Declining to submit my candidacy to the action of any one of the political party or the other, I shall support Greeley and Brown, and stand firmly and inflexibly by the principles embodied in the Cincinnati platform, and in Greeley's able letter of acceptance."

As a Matter of Course He Is.

NASHVILLE, May 24.—The *Union and American* this morning says: "Andrew Johnson is willing to become a candidate for Congress for the State at large, under the law giving Tennessee an additional Representative. The friends of Gen. Cheatham wish him to announce himself for that position."

Greeley Delegates for Baltimore.

SPRINGFIELD, MASS., May 24.—The Tenth District Democratic Convention at Chester today ratified the Cincinnati nominations and platform with great enthusiasm. Greeley delegates were elected to Baltimore.

The Arkansas Defection.

LITTLE ROCK, May 24.—The Brooks Republican State Convention adjourned last night after putting out a full State and electoral ticket. Two colored men are on the State ticket—one for Secretary of State, and the other for Superintendent of the Penitentiary.

Affray Between U. S. Detectives and Counterfeiters Near Wellsville, O.—One of the Latter Drowned and the Other Escapes.

Special Dispatch to the Commercial.

WELLSVILLE, O., May 24, 1872.

A man by the name of G. Tyler and a partner, notorious counterfeiters from Fort Wayne, Ind., were this afternoon traced to and discovered by two United States detectives a short distance above this place on the river bank. Tyler, without any warning, drew a revolver and fired, the ball passing through the coat of one of the officers. The other officer returned the fire, shooting one of the men through the hand in which he held his revolver, crippling his hand and breaking his revolver. Tyler then ran to the river, and attempted to swim, but was drowned, leaving his coat on the bank, which, upon searching, was found to contain eleven hundred dollars in counterfeit twenty dollar bills, United States legal tender. The other man fled to the hills and was lost sight of. The body of the drowned man has not yet been recovered.

Sunday School Convention at Mansfield, Ohio.

Special Dispatch to the Commercial.

MANSFIELD, O., May 24, 1872.

The second annual Sunday School Convention of the East Ohio Eldership of the Church of God commenced its session here yesterday, and will continue until and including Sunday evening. A number of prominent workmen of the society are here from abroad, and the meetings are well attended by citizens, and a growing interest manifested. The topics discussed cover all the grounds essential to the efficiency of abbath schools, interspersed with devotional xercises, essays, music, &c.

Rev. J. E. Cheshire has resigned the pastorship of the Market Street Baptist Church of his city, to take effect July first.

Business Part of Haysville, O., Destroyed by Fire.

Special Dispatch to the Commercial.

ASHLAND, O., May 24, 1872.

The business portion of the village of Haysville, eight miles south of this place, was destroyed by fire last night. The fire originated in the drug store of S. K. Black. The loss is estimated at thirty thousand dollars. Light insurance, the amount not ascertained.

THE mangers of the World's Peace Jubilee, at Boston, have sent forth a bulletin announcing progress, from which it appears that everything is moving satisfactorily, and that all the arrangements are being made in a manner which will carry out to completeness the ideal plan which has been inaugurated. The building will be done in season. The musicians and singers are all secured, and their name is Legion. The visitors will have ample accommodations, and every preliminary will be attended to which will secure the success of the jubilee and the pleasure of those who attend.

Rev. Henry S. Noyes, Professor of Mathematics in the Northwestern University at Evanston, Illinois, died yesterday, aged forty-eight years.

GREELEY GROUNDSWELL.

Another Epistle from Hon. Stanley Matthews—Greeley's Nomination the Result of Bargain and Intrigue between Politicians of Fly-Blown Reputation—Judge Matthews Repudiates the Whole Affair.

CINCINNATI, May 24.—Judge Matthews this morning publishes a communication in the *Commercial*, in which, after stating that he cares but little for what may be said of the consistency or inconsistency of his opinions upon matters of expediency, he says:

"There was a time when I felt willing to sink every other question of public policy in the greatest one of elevating and purifying the tone and spirit of public life. The success of such an effort depended upon two things. First, in the nomination of a man whose character lifts him above the level and beyond the reach of all the degrading influences of party and personal politics; second, in making that nomination as a free, spontaneous expression of the best public opinion, without the trickery and bargaining and manipulation by which nominating conventions were usually made to subserve personal ends. There was but one man, in my opinion, that perfectly filled the character of the required nominee; that was Charles Francis Adams. There were some others that approximated to it, and among them I have no hesitation in ranking Horace Greeley, so far as talents and high aims and personal purity of character are required. And had his nomination corresponded to the conditions I have named, I would not now be under the actual necessity of explaining a change of views, which your correspondent assumes. But such was not the fact. The nomination was the result, not of principle, or bargain and intrigue, brought about by professional politicians whose reputation is 'fly-blown,' perverting the whole purposes and work of the Convention, and reversing the original intent of the call. Looking at these influences which presided at the nominations as likely, in case of success at the election, to survive and dominate the actual administration, it is difficult to avoid the conclusion that Reuben E. Fenton and Frank Blair and those of that ilk are the gentlemen to whom we have committed the cause of political reform and of sound government. I have come, as yet, under no such obligation as that. If I have, I am not ashamed to say that I repudiate it."

XLII. CONGRESS.

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 24, 1872.

SENATE.

After disposing of a number of reports from conference committees, the Senate, on motion of Mr. CAMERON, went into executive session on the treaty.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

The bill regulating and simplifying the mode of collection of taxes on fermented liquors, but without changing the rate, was passed.

The House, after disposing of a number of bills and reports from committees, took a recess till half-past seven.

The evening session was taken up with business from the Committee on Claims.

RELIGIOUS.

The M. E. General Conference.

NEW YORK, May 25.—In the Methodist General Conference to-day the Committee on Episcopacy reported a resolution that one new Bishop take his residence at or near each of the following places: "Boston, Cincinnati, St. Louis, Chicago, Atlanta, San Francisco, Omaha or Council Bluffs, and St. Paul." After considerable discussion the report was adopted. It was resolved to hold the election for Secretary of the Missionary Society to-morrow. The hour for the ordination of new Bishops arriving, the Bishops elect were escorted to their places on the stage, ranged in a semi-circle, back of the bishop's table. The full Board of Bishops were present, namely: Morris, Janes, Ames, Scott and Simpson. The candidates were then severally presented for ordination, which then proceeded according to the ritual, each of the regular Bishops performing a part, and all engaging in the laying on of hands on each candidate. The services concluded with the doxology and benediction by Bishop Morris.

THE WEATHER.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
OFFICE OF THE CHIEF SIGNAL OFFICER,
WASHINGTON, D. C., MAY 24, 1872, 7 P. M.

PROBABILITIES.

The lowest barometer north of the lower lakes will continue moving north eastwardly; clear and pleasant weather will prevail on Saturday over New England and the Middle States, with westerly winds; clear and partially cloudy weather from the South Atlantic coast to the Ohio valley, and thence northward to the Upper lakes. Dangerous winds are not anticipated.

Several Persons Seriously Injured at Ithaca, N. Y., by the Fall of a Bridge.

ITHACA, N. Y., May 24.—About three o'clock this morning the buildings belonging to W. G. Johnson, on Fall creek, were fired by an incendiary. A steamer was stationed in the high bridge over Fall creek, just below the foot of main fall. When the fire was nearly out the bridge, without any warning by cracking, fell, carrying with it the engine and people who had congregated there, to the number of about two hundred. The bridge was a new twenty-foot above the water. The fall of it went down together. Fifteen persons were seriously injured, including some of the students at Cornell University, some so badly that they are not likely to recover. The following were seriously hurt: Chas. Davenport, Andrew J. Davis, J. W. Fenn, Samuel Brock, John W. Smith, Warren H. Lyon, W. Blind, John Carmatino, L. Jay, Taylor Robert J. Renwick, and an old man had his leg broken. Surgical aid was quickly obtained. The steamer was slightly injured.

NEWS SUMMARY.

BY TELEGRAPH.

During the past three days two vessels have arrived at New York from Bremen, having the small-pox and other diseases prevailing among the steerage passengers. The Europa had thirteen deaths out of 218 persons, and twenty-three cases on board when she arrived. The Athenae lost nineteen passengers and two sailors, from small-pox, typhoid fever and measles, the latter disease particularly being fatal among the children. Both ships were quarantined, and the sufferers sent to the hospital.

London advices of May 10th state that the crew of the London Rowing Club is at last definitely settled, and though the fourth man is taken foam a different organization and is not a member of the club, the Atlantas do not murmur. John B. Close, from the Cambridge crew, will occupy the bow seat. When this match was first made the Londoners considered it as a huge joke, and thought that any crew would be good enough to compete with four such little fellows; but since they have enjoyed the privilege of ocular observation they have learned to appreciate the Yankee boys.

The will of the late Professor Morse has been admitted to probate. It is dated February 7, 1872. The bulk of the property is left in trust for his wife during her life, after her death the property is to be divided into eight parts, one of which will be devoted to paying certain legacies, and seven to be given to his children, deducting previous gifts. His biographer, to be appointed by the executors, to have access to his books and papers. The legacies to charitable and educational institutions amount to about $10,000.

The Centennial Commission, now sitting in Philadelphia, have decided on opening the exposition on April 19th and close it October 19th, 1876. All nations will be invited to participate.

Hon. Samuel Griffith, Democrat, Congressional Representative from the Twentieth Pennsylvania District, prints a letter in the Titusville *Journal* of to-day, announcing his adhesion to Greeley and Brown.

In a breach of promise case tried at Providence, R. I., yesterday, Julia E. Villett, aged twenty-two years, recovered a verdict of $16,000 against Thomas Groce, aged sixty-nine years.

A terrific tornado passed over several counties on the Mississippi river in the central portion of Eastern Iowa and Western Illinois on Thursday evening. It appears to have moved in a southeastwardly direction, and across from Des Moines county, Iowa, and Adams county, Illinois, state that every movable thing in its track was swept clear, trees uprooted, fences scattered, telegraph poles and lines demolished and numerous barns and houses unroofed and blown down. So far as heard there was no loss of life, but the destruction of property was very great. No details have yet been received.

STATE POLITICS.

PHILADELPHIA, May 24.—William P. Schell has accepted the nomination for Governor tendered by the Labor Reform Convention at Williamsport.

CINCINNATI is in danger of a coal famine again—the result of the hand-to-mouth policy of that city and low water in the Ohio. They begin to talk of a supply by railroad, and with much reason, it would seem, as there is little prospect of navigation for some time to come.

SECOND EDITION.

WASHINGTON.

A Satisfactory Steamboat Bill.

New Regulations For Brewers.

Special Dispatch to the Commercial.

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 23, 1872.

A Satisfactory Steamboat Bill.

The Conference Committee on the steamboat bill has agreed to a report. The Executive Committee of the National Convention of Steamboat Owners are generally satisfied with the result. All the objectionable patent appliances are thrown out, and the House proposition for fairly testing all new ones proposed is retained, also the section regarding life boats and equipment generally, inspecting, stamping and testing iron, and the provision for fixing the pressure of steam, to be carried in accordance with the strength and quality of the iron used. The rules and regulations for meeting and passing remain unchanged. The general clause giving fees to informers is stricken out, except in a few sections where it appeared absolutely necessary to retain them. Yachts and pleasure boats are exempted from the provisions of the law. Fog runners are retained for sailing vessels.

Bills Postponed.

The bill providing for the reissue of national bank notes has been postponed till December; also the bill for building ten sloops of war.

The Cincinnati Buildings Bill.

The House Judiciary Committee has considered Perry's bill providing for the condemnation of a site for public buildings in Cincinnati, and have ordered the same reported, without amendment.

The New Brewers' Bill.

The House to-day passed a bill relieving brewers from numerous vexatious regulations concerning the collecting of tax. The accounts now required and the monthly affidavits are greatly simplified. Permit stamps are provided for, and by attaching these transfers can be made without written permits, and these stamps will answer for the payment of tax when the beer is finally put on the market. The bill also provides that brewers can take their own kegs to other establishments to have them filled. The sale of unfermented worts is also allowed. The Senate will pass the bill.

Secret Session on the Treaty.

The Senate has been in secret session on the treaty since noon, with the exception of a recess for dinner, and at eleven o'clock tonight an agreement was made not to vote till to-morrow. There are various and most contradictory reports in circulation as to the position taken by different speakers. It is certain that a number of Senators on both sides have severely criticised the proposition unanimously reported. There has been a very pointed discussion over the different statements made concerning what actually took place before the High Commission in regard to consequential damages, and over the question whether the English assertions as to the understanding among the Commissioners were true or the reverse. There is a great deal of dissatisfaction among Republican Senators over the situation, but the belief is still general that the President will be advised to pursue the course suggested in the correspondence transmitted to the Senate.

The Amended Tariff Bill.

The Finance Committee finished the tax and tariff bill to-night, and are ready to report. Salt for curing fish is free. The tax on the sales of both tobacco and whisky is abolished. The rectifier's tax is abolished and licenses reduced; the ten cent stamp represents the rectifiers' tax. The whisky export section remains as in the House bill. The whisky tax is consolidated at seventy cents. Societies are abolished, and one hundred thousand dollars appropriated for use in the discretion of the Revenue Bureau to prosecute fraud. The tobacco tax is uniform at twenty-four cents. Bonded warehouses remain as in the House bill. All taxes under schedules B and C, being all the stamp taxes except liquors and tobacco, are abolished. Part payment of duties in stamps is stricken out. The collection districts are to be reduced to sixty before January. Free materials for western steamboats is stricken out. The estimate of the total reduction by the bill as amended is near sixty millions.

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 24, 1872.

CAMERON AND FORNEY.

A dispatch to the Cincinnati *Enquirer*, under date of May 23d, says: "Colonel Forney and General Cameron, who have been leaders of the different wings in the Republican party in Pennsylvania, met to-night in Washington to heal their differences and celebrate the result with a banquet, which was attended by the visitors Chandler and Anthony, Speaker Blaine, Secretary Robeson and others. The reconciliation was complete."

Letters Held for Postage May 24, 1872.

	Cents.
Miss Annie Bagley, Coal Dale, Pa.	3
John Bennington, Shaw Landing, Pa.	3
J. S. Weatherby, Baltimore, Md.	3
Miss Sherman Anderson, Bethany, W. Va.	3
S. Merrick & Son, New Brighton, Pa.	3
C. Snyder, Connellsville, Pa.	3
Miss Mary Leach, Mount Washington, Pa.	3

JOHN H. STEWART, P. M.

Serious Accident.

George Herbert, an employee at the rolling mill of Lewis, Oliver & Phillips in the Ninth ward, Allegheny, met with a serious accident on Thursday night about eleven o'clock. While in the act of passing a circular saw in motion, which is used for sawing red-hot iron, he tripped and fell against the saw, which made a most fearful gash in his back about ten inches long, penetrating to the intervertebræ, and severing a portion of the vertebrae. Dr. Stewart was called to attend the injured man, and at last accounts he was lying in a critical condition, and but slight hopes are entertained for his recovery.

CITY MATTERS IN BRIEF.

THE brick work of the new church edifice for the M. E. congregation on Lemon street, South Pittsburgh, is almost completed.

OFFICER MCCOY made an information yesterday before Justice Schmuck against Michael Cahn, for selling liquor on Sunday. Warrant issued.

A SPRINKLING cart is to do duty on Liberty street at the expense of the merchants on that thoroughfare.

A YOUNG MAN was thrown from a buggy in front of the Pittsburgh Opera House yesterday afternoon, but escaped with slight injuries. The buggy was somewhat shattered.

LIEUT. HAZEN caused the arrest of Julia Collins, yesterday, on charges of illegal liquor selling and keeping a disorderly house on Virgin alley. She was held for a hearing before the Mayor.

YESTERDAY James Armstrong preferred a charge of keeping a ferocious dog against Charles Miller. The case was amicably settled before Alderman Taylor.

ATTEND the primary elections this afternoon. In the city the polls will be open from three until seven P. M., and in the country districts from four until seven P. M.

THE property mentioned yesterday as having been purchased by the Pittsburgh, Charleston and Virginia Railroad was bought for $100,000, cash in full equal installments, and is designed for a site for a round house and machine shops.

THE regular monthly meeting of the Y. M. C. A. will be held this evening at their rooms, corner Penn and Smithfield streets. The lecture last night had at the meeting of the Laymen's Institute, "Open Air Services," will be resumed.

THE work of laying the two tables for the Pittsburgh and Ormsby Passenger Railway on Fourth avenue, will be completed by the middle of next week, when the new one horse cars will be placed on the road.

ON application of Sheridan Post 88, G. A. R., General James S. Negley has granted an order for the commanding officer of Allegheny Arsenal to fire a salute of one hundred guns from Soldiers' Monument on the 30th inst.

THE American Institute of Homoeopathy, in session at Washington, D. C., yesterday elected Dr. Small, of Chicago, President, and Dr. Burzer, of this city, Vice President. The Institute will next meet in Cleveland, on the 3d of June, 1873.

JUSTICE HEISEL yesterday took an information from Henry Lennig, who charged Mr. Reinhard with assault and battery upon his wife. It is alleged that the accused threw some at the wife of the opponent, one of which struck her in the breast, inflicting serious injury.

A COLORED man named Wm. Massey visited the office of Justice Heisel, yesterday, and preferred a charge of disorderly conduct against Michael Kaegle. Massey stated that defendant frightened a horse on which he was riding, when he was thrown to the ground and sustained serious injury. A warrant was issued.

ABOUT noon yesterday, a horse attached to a buggy took fright at a passing locomotive, at the railroad crossing on Penn avenue, and attempted to dashed off at a rapid rate, throwing the occupants of the buggy to the ground. The vehicle, fortunately, only slight injury, but the vehicle was demolished.

THERE are already quite a number of prominent citizens on the South Side who have signified their willingness to accept the office of Deputy Mayor, if tendered them. The following are some of the candidates: H. B. Swanson, of Mt. Washington; Capt. P. Heisel, or East Birmingham; Burgess Salisbury and E. G. Keehan, of Birmingham, and Wm. Barker, of South Pittsburgh.

THE Rev. Thomas H. Hanna will preach a special sermon to-morrow evening under the auspices of the Wylie Avenue U. P. Church, in the Hall of the Moorhead public school house, Granville street, near Wylie avenue, at 7½ o'clock. After the service the ordination and installation of the newly elected Elders will take place. Seats free and a cordial welcome extended to all.

THE following officers were elected by the Woman Suffrage Association at a business meeting on Thursday evening: President, Miss Matilda Hindman; Vice-Presidents, Mrs. Helen E. Hopkins, Mrs. J. Herron Foster; Corresponding Secretary, Miss Mollie Hindman; Recording Secretary, Miss Rosezena Kelly; Treasurer, William Proudfoot; Executive committee; Mrs. S. Croft McKelvey, Mrs. Mitchell, Miss Lena Mulhatten, Miss Mary McQuigg, Mr. Cyrus Howard.

A SELECT party of vocalists, including Robert McGraw and sister, will leave on Monday for Dunkirk, New York. The object of their visit is to assist in a grand musical entertainment to be given in that place under the auspices and direction of Father Martin, formerly of this city. An excursion to Niagara Falls, etc., follows the musical entertainment. It may be gratifying to the friends of Father Martin to assure them that he will return ere long to the field he left so reluctantly.

YESTERDAY morning a colored individual who is known as "Mose," was arrested by officer Hyer, of Alderman Strain's police, on a warrant charging him with larceny. The information was made by P. F. Kane, who alleges that the accused stole a wagon valued at sixty dollars, belonging to M. F. Cassiday, from the lot of Wm. B. Scaife & Co., First avenue. It is but just to the defendant to say that he denies the theft. The stolen wagon was found in his possession, but he states that he rented it from another man for fifty cents a day. The case has been held for a hearing.

IMPORTANT MEETING.

Meeting of Citizens Opposed to the Vacation of Grant and Washington Streets—The Resolutions, Etc.

Last evening a meeting of the citizens opposed to the vacation of Grant and Washington streets, was held in the Third ward school building.

The meeting was organized at eight o'clock, by calling upon James D. Kelly to preside, James W. Baird was elected secretary.

The following gentlemen were chosen as Vice Presidents: Richard Beakens, John Mellon, Jas. H. Hopkins, A. M. Brown, David Reed, Dr. L. Oldshu, Joseph Hastings, Peter O'Neil, Patrick McCullough, Dr. M. Henderson, John Duffy, O. Lewis and M. Sheridan.

On motion, a committee on resolutions was appointed as follows: James P. Quinn, Capt. Ward, W. W. Anderson, August Steinmeyer, John Kelly, John O'Keefe and Luke Chapman.

Mr. John O'Neil, a member of Council from the Fifth ward, offered a document explaining the proposition of the Railroad Company relative to the occupation of the streets in question. The document was substantially the same as read at the last meeting of Councils and has been published.

THE RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. James P. Quinn, Chairman of the Committee on Resolutions, submitted the following:

WHEREAS, We, citizens of the city of Pittsburgh, having learned that an ordinance was read in the Common Council of our city, at its last meeting, to authorize the vacating of certain streets for the benefit of the Pennsylvania Central Railroad Company; and, whereas, the Pennsylvania Central Railroad Company have been granted very great and enlarged facilities by our city in the past, and from time to time these encroachments have been made upon the interests of individuals as well as upon the city itself; therefore

Resolved, That we, the citizens of Pittsburgh, do most earnestly protest against the vacating of any of the said streets proposed in said ordinance now before our said city Avenue to Liberty street, and Washington street from Liberty street to Fountain street, for the following reasons:

First—That the proposed vacating of Grant street from Seventh avenue to Liberty street would very much interfere with the business trade and travel on the said streets, cutting off almost wholly its business and throwing it upon another street now materially burdened in the same necessary and legitimate business; closing up a necessary outlet to the eastern portion of the city from its great natural highway, the Monongahela river and South Side to Liberty street and Penn avenue, and the closing up or vacating of Washington street, thereby cutting off easy and direct communication from the Sixth, Seventh, Eighth, Eleventh, Thirteenth and Fourteenth wards of our populous and growing city, and compelling all business to take other and circumbendibus routes to reach the upper and outer wards.

Second. We do most sincerely believe that the best interests of the city and of individuals would be materially injured by the vacation of the said streets, not only the property holder, but the public in general, and the appearance of the city would be greatly disfigured. Therefore,

Resolved, That we, citizens of Pittsburgh, do most respectfully request the members of our members of Select and Common Councils to vote against any and all such proposed ordinances as may be introduced, having in view the best interests of our city, and that we will hold such members of either branch accountable for not heeding our injunction.

Captain Ward now spoke at considerable length. He stated that the propositions contained in the ordinance presented at Councils were so absurd and preposterous that he did not believe any member was so blind to all that is just and honest, or to the interests of the city, as to support it. He did not censure the majority of the Councils for trying to deceive the citizens; it was their interest to do so in this case. His he censured those who call themselves citizens, but who were the mere tools of the great corporation for such consideration as was agreed upon. The public should watch the actions. Suppose some corporation would ask a person to sacrifice an eye, or arm, or leg for the benefit of that corporation, and this is just what the railroad corporation propose to do. They want to mutilate a very important part of the city for their benefit. He said he had first granted but not been opened to Liberty street, the people could never rest until it was opened should it cost thousands of dollars, and now this corporation ask the city to vacate this important thoroughfare without offering any consideration.

A number of citizens suggested that the Councilmen present should express their views on the question.

Mr. C. Ammond held that it would be indelicate for Councilmen to give their opinions or views in the matter.

Mr. McCune, a member of Council, stated that he could not vote for the ordinance as it now read, but thought it m ght be so amended as to meet his approval. He would be a great benefit to vacate Grant and Washington streets, because the traffic on those streets, which was large, would be thrown on Smithfield street, where the traffic was already too large.

Mr. S. F. Fulton, also a Councilman, stated that his first impulse, after the reading of the ordinance, was to lay it on the table. The propositions contained in the ordinance are one-sided—altogether on the side of the Railroad Company.

Mr. Sims—As long as I have a vote in Council I shall vote against the vacating of the two streets.

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THE letter of the HON. STANLEY MATTHEWS, herewith printed, telling what he knows about the Cincinnati Convention and Mr. GREELEY's nomination, is the latest contribution to the political literature of the day, and will be read with unusual interest. The writer was an original "Liberal."

THE National Convention of Workingmen met in New York yesterday, and nominated Gen. GRANT for President and HON. HENRY WILSON, of Massachusetts, for Vice President. The attendance appears to have been large, and it was a far more representative body than the Cincinnati Convention.

MR. HORN, of Wisconsin, the only German member of the Democratic National Committee, has published a call inviting the various German editors of the country, and other representative Germans, to meet in Baltimore on the 8th of July, the day preceding the assembling of the Democratic Convention, in order to ascertain the sense of the German press and leaders with regard to the campaign.

"BOSS" TWEED shows a warm side towards HORACE GREELEY, and so do the old Tammany Ring generally. If the fact is a harsh one, no one but himself is responsible for it. It is one for honest Republicans when they are asked to go for GREELEY to think of. When TWEED is along those who are at all particular about what company they keep may well begin to to doubt whether they ought not to "draw out of that crowd."

FOLLOWING the example of Gen. EWELL and Col. MOSBY, another prominent ex-Confederate—Gen. HENRY C. WAYNE, of Georgia—has written a letter declaring himself in favor of the election of "a regular Republican candidate," which, he states, is in his opinion essential to the good order and stability of the country. Somewhat mistakenly, perhaps, he considers Mr. GREELEY to be a sort of an apostle of chaos—at least he characterizes him as practically the candidate of the Communists and Internationalists, and believes that his election would be a real misfortune to the South. Gen. WAYNE is a son of the late Judge WAYNE, of the United States Supreme Court, and was quite a prominent man in the Confederacy, holding the position of Adjutant General of the State of Georgia throughout the rebellion.

A CERTAIN Southern Democratic newspaper, which has hoisted the Liberal Republican flag, is considerably exercised over the perversity of the negroes of that quarter in giving the cold shoulder to the movement, and it advises them "to do their own reading" instead of relying on the representations of others, if they would learn who are really their best and truest friends. This is sensible advice, which the colored people will do well to follow—more particularly for the reason that whilst they are thus making themselves acquainted with the real status of men and parties toward their race, they will also be likely now and then to consider how it came about that they have learned to read at all, and to what political organization it is chiefly owing that they may buy books and peruse them in the broad light of the sun, none daring to molest or make afraid. By all means let them "do their own reading."

THE liberal character of the Amnesty bill which passed Congress the other day, may be inferred from the fact that the number of persons relieved by it is estimated by those best informed on the subject at not less than a hundred and fifty thousand persons of capacity and experience, embracing by far the largest part of the representative men of the South. The number still under disabilities is variously computed at from three to five hundred persons. The passage of the bill disposes of a large number of cases now pending in the Supreme Court of the United States and the District and Circuit Courts, against persons holding office in violation of the provisions of the Fourteenth Amendment. It is understood that the Attorney General will at once enter a *nolle prosequi* in those cases of which the Supreme Court has cognizance, and will further instruct United States District Attorneys throughout the country to take like action in regard to similar cases in their courts.

THE St. Lawrence river having for some years past been growing shallower between the cities of Montreal and Quebec, the Dominion Government has agreed to undertake measures for its permanent improvement, and—strange to say—there does not seem to be heard the slightest objection from any quarter of the Colony, not even from those who live most remote from the river, yet who will be called upon to bear their share of the expense of the work. Those benighted Canadians appear in their Arcadian simplicity to imagine that that which benefits the trade and commerce of their country confers advantages upon the whole people, whether they are directly interested in the matter or not, and do not seem to be in the least degree aware of the frightful dangers and conspiracies against their welfare which lurk under the guise of a "paternal government." Some of our admirable political economists who have fathomed all the depths and shoals of the river question in this country ought to see to this matter speedily.

THE influence which a single speech may exert upon the thought and purpose of the world was perhaps never more strikingly exemplified than in HENRY WARD BEECHER's recent address in favor of the Sunday opening of public libraries and reading rooms. That address struck a chord which has vibrated from one end of the country to the other, eliciting approving responses from all sorts and conditions of people. Everywhere in the larger cities of the country the views advanced by Mr. BEECHER are beginning to prevail and to be reduced to practice. Boston, Detroit, Chicago, St. Louis and other populous cities are following or making preparations to follow suit; their example is being imitated in many of the lesser towns and cities, and it is probable that the movement will soon become general throughout the country. The speech is also bearing fruit in England. Since its delivery the question of Sunday reading rooms and art galleries for the masses is being quite liberally considered by the trustees of not a few of these institutions, one of which has already thrown open its doors to the public every day of the week. Of course the utmost care should be taken that the facilities and opportunities thus afforded are intrinsically on the side of education and virtue. This assured, the declaration of the Highest Authority that "the Sabbath was made for man, and not man for the Sabbath," would seem to settle the rest.

MR. GREELEY having withdrawn from the *Tribune* during the campaign, and having also declared his inflexible determination to abstain from any speech-making in the meantime, it is respectfully suggested that he employ his unaccustomed leisure in writing a book on "What he knows about being hoist with his own petard." Such a work could hardly fail to be vastly instructive and entertaining, while all the materials therefor are close at the author's hand. Indeed, we are confident that his brethren of the press would very willingly take it upon themselves to supply all the necessary data, without subjecting him to the slightest trouble, and without a thought of recompense for themselves. As a send-off in the matter we take leave to furnish material for a chapter. Last autumn MR. GREELEY delivered an address before the Trumbull County (Ohio) Agricultural Society, in the course of which he said:

"I saw, the other day, a suggestion that I would probably be the best Democratic candidate to run against General Grant for President. I thought that about the most absurd thing I ever heard or read. If the Democratic party were called upon to decide between Grant and myself, I know that their regard for what they must call principle would induce nineteenths of them to vote against me. Why? I am a decided enemy of that party, even in its most respectable aspects."

Now we submit that a compilation of this kind, embodying the author's views on men and parties during the past quarter of a century, or if that were thought inadvisable, during the last four years, including his written and spoken opinions concerning the tariff and its opponents, the Democracy and the probable nominee of the forthcoming Philadelphia Convention, would prove one of the most successful literary hits which has been made for many a year, and it is to be hoped he may see fit to act upon the suggestion.

AT this rate of progress there is hope that even Col. GREELEY may himself may at some period in the not far distant future, be brought to confess that Protection does really, after all, protect. About a week ago we had occasion to refer to the unanswerable protection argument of the special correspondent of a leading free trade journal, in his letters from the manufacturing towns of New England, descriptive of their remarkable prosperity and enterprise. We are gratified to observe that he is still engaged in the good work, prosecuting it faithfully and conscientiously. In his last letter, written from Lawrence, Massachusetts, he frankly admits that from what he has seen during his tour, "New England is beginning to grow," and says that no town which he has yet visited shows such a progressive spirit as that from which he dates his communication. From the commencement of the manufacturing enterprises which have given to it its prosperity, he states, there has been a steady and continuous growth in its business; which, he further observes, is not made to inure to the profit and advantage of its capitalists and manufacturing corporations alone, but also overflows in "liberal and humane practices" toward all the operatives in their employ. Considering that it is only since the adoption of the protective policy that these manufacturing centers of New England began to make the rapid and vigorous strides in material prosperity and improvement on which this writer enlarges with so much satisfaction, there would seem to be little probability of the cry of "Free Trade and HORACE GREELEY" making much headway in that section.

GENERAL AND PARTICULAR.

The immense iron and steel rolling-mills being constructed at La Grange, Mo., are ready for the machinery, which is daily arriving, and in about two months they will be ready for work.

The puddlers at the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad rolling mills, in Cumberland, are on a strike for an advance of forty cents per ton in their wages. The Company has offered to employ as many as it desires to work at present at $5.60 per ton, but the men refuse to compromise. The mill will stop at the end of this week and in all probability be idle for some considerable time.

The library of the university of Strasburg now numbers 200,000 volumes. The old library had from 300,000 to 700,000 volumes and was so loosely managed that no catalogue was ever made of it, nor is there now a leaf of it extant. Any man in Strasburg or the province of Alsace may draw books. The city however is very stupidly attempting to found an opposition library and is soliciting aid throughout Europe.

Aiken, South Carolina, is fast becoming a winter Saratoga for invalids from all quarters. This season it has been visited by nearly two thousand persons, a large proportion of whom remained there for several months. These visitors have expended in the town about half a million of dollars, greatly benefiting all classes of citizens.

According to a number of experiments recently made by the London Chemical Society, the best mode of determining carbon in iron is by direct burning in a stream of oxygen. A great variety of tests proved, it is said, this process to be at once the most accurate and expeditious.

The Boston theaters and other places of amusement propose to place on their free list all the members of the Press who may visit Boston during the time of the Peace Jubilee.

A committee of Jewish Rabbis and Doctors from various parts of Europe have gone to England to examine the sacred roll of the Pentateuch recently found in Palestine and presented to the British Society of Biblical Archæology.

A practical silk culturist, who is thoroughly acquainted with every branch of that industry, is of the opinion that California will, in the course of a few years, be the silk-producing country of the world. He says he has seen finer specimens of the silk worm in California than ever in Japan or China.

Profiting by her fiery experiences, Chicago proposes to erect a number of fire-proof elevators, one of which, with a storage capacity of 800,000 bushels, will be in running order before the season closes.

The estimated amount of gold in existence had risen from $57,000,000 in 1492, the year of the discovery of America, to some $2,000,000,000 in 1840, and to upwards of $5,000,000,000 in 1870. The appreciation in values has also kept pace the world oyer with the increase of gold, which is the standard of value among all the great nations.

A naturalized citizen of the United States who has gone back to Europe to reside, has sent four thousand dollars to the Treasury as a token of the obligations he feels under to this free and noble Government, and as his mite toward the payment of the national debt. It was not conscience money, but heart money.

Since the assembling of the Cincinnati Convention the papers have been filled with accounts of associations and alliances in the animal kingdom of the most unnatural character. The latest instance of this kind is a cat with kittens, which also nurses a young rat, and seem to be a good deal more tender and solicitous about her little rodent than her real progeny. To what strange processes of rat-iocination this abnormal fondness of pussy is due, it would take a coalitionist to tell.

So great and increasing is the outflow of the population of Sweden, that the Government of that country has offered a prize for an essay on the best means of putting a stop to the rapidly augmenting immigration of the rural and labor ing classes.

Indianapolis papers tell of the driver of a milk wagon in that city who has just come into a comfortable fortune of a hundred and fifty thousand dollars, left him by a wealthy German for whom he had performed some little acts which showed him to possess the milk of human kindness.

Is the sprightly New York *Mail* edited by a naturalist? We judge so, from the fact that it relates a story of an encounter between a drunken man and a huge black snake, in which the man came off victorious, cutting out the "fangs and poison sack" of his adversary—the black snake not belonging to the venomous order of reptiles, but to the constrictor class.

PERSONAL.

A new story is related of President Grant, to the effect that when he was an unpretending colonel of volunteers, stationed near St. Louis, he was on one occasion suddenly required to visit a distant part of the North Missouri Railroad. Calling upon the Superintendent he asked if he could be sent out. "Very easily," answered the official, "and now." There stands an engine with steam up. I will have a car hitched on." "No," said the Colonel, "I don't need a car, Back out your engine, and I'll ride on the tender." So said, so done; and the Superintendent, having business on the road, accompanied him. The Superintendent, now the city engineer of St. Louis, says that the only observation, besides one of thanks, which the Colonel made during the trip was—"I believe I'll apply for a brigadiership. I think I could handle a brigade—in fact I feel pretty certain of it." About two months afterwards

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FINANCE AND TRADE

FRIDAY EVENING, May 23, 1872.

All indications point to high prices for old, and the best authorities agree that the summer will see a materi advance in the premium. A private letter from a reliable Wall street house puts the figure at 116 at least and probably at 120.

The official figures of the Custom House show that the merchandise imported at New York exceeds that of last year by $42,000,000 in gold, while our exports have increased but $5,000,000, and our total exports of merchandise and specie are $32,000,000 less than last year. This balance of $74,000,000 against us is suggestive of caution to merchants and bankers. This balance may be made up by sale of Government and Railroad bonds, but this is not a repetition of Mr. Macawber's method of paying his debts—"promises to pay" which must mature some day, and which must be paid for either in merchandise or coin. The stretched demand for American securities abroad is already felt in the large weekly shipments of specie, and as the prospects of the crops of our great staples are not now very flattering, the exports of specie will continue.

These facts should suggest cautious action to business men who have gold contracts to cover, or who are making new ones.

Of the general market the *Financier* says: While we are not, and do not wish to be considered any serious alarmists, we cannot refrain from pointing out to the public the indications which show the probable approach of a financial crisis in this country. Inflation of prices of all kinds of stocks and bonds is the rule everywhere. On the New York Stock Exchange there has been a general advance, which represents a rise in nominal value of $100,000,000 since January 1. At San Francisco the wildest mining stock speculations ever known has had its run, and prices are now generally falling with great rapidity. But the inflation still too great to last long, and the bubble must burst with exceedingly disastrous effect. The rise in Boston and Philadelphia has been of a chronically inflated condition, their reserves for a long series of years having been much less than that held by law; while those in New York, with reserves trenching closely upon the legal limit, have increased their loans to $300,000,000. Under the influx of our rapid railroad building the price of iron has rapidly increased; our imports are enormously in excess of our exports, and, to crown all, hope holds nearly two thousand millions of American securities.

Messrs. Ira B. McVay & Co. report the following quotations of Government bonds in New York to-day, as furnished them by Jay Cooke & Co., their correspondents:

	Morn.	Noon.	Closing.
Bonds of 1881.....	119	119	119
Bonds of 1867.....	113¾	113¾	113¾
Bonds of 1864.....	113¾	113¾	113¾
Bonds of 1865.....	114¼	114¼	114¼
Bonds of 1865 (new).....	115¼	115¼	115¼
Bonds of 1867.....	116¾	116¾	116¾
Bonds of 1868.....	116¾	116¾	116¾
.....	111¾	111¾	111¾
58.....	112¾	112¾	112¾
.....	112¾	112¾	112¾
ency 6s.....	116¾	116¾	117

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.....	113¾
6-20s of 1868.....	113¾
United States 5-20s of 1862.....	113¾
United States 5-20s of 1864.....	113¾
United States 5-20s of 1865.....	113¾
United States 10-40s.....	111¾
United States 5-20s, January and July, 1865.....	113¾
United States 5-20s, January and July, 1867.....	113¾
United States 5-20s, January and July, 1868.....	116¾
Pacific Railroad.....	93
Central Pacific Railroad.....	116¾
ncy Bonds.....	65¾

The Legislature at its last session passed a law ing the bonds of the Philadelphia and Reading ad Company, known as the general mortgage of said company, bearing date of June 1, 1871, he consolidation mortgage 7 per cent. bonds of high Navigation Company, legal investment ities for trust funds.

We note sales of Connellsville sevens ½; Allegheny Valley 7-30s at 95½; Allegheny county 5s at 78.

The following table shows the prices of ay stocks, gold, etc., at the various sessions of the New York Stock Exchange ng the day:

ay 24, 1872.	10:30 A.M.	11:30 A.M.	1:30 P.M.	2:30 P.M.	3:30 P.M.
.....	113¾	113¾	113¾	113¾	113¾
United Tel.....	113¾	113¾	113¾	113¾	113¾
Divet.....	113¾	113¾	113¾	113¾	113¾
Mail.....	93¾	93¾	93¾	93¾	93¾
Express.....	62	62	62	62	62
Fargo Ex.....	93¾	93¾	93¾	93¾	93¾
an Express.....	85½	85½	85½	85½	85½
United States Ex.....	86	86	86	86	86
ntral Central.....	99¾	99¾	99¾	99¾	99¾
ntral scrip.....	93¾	93¾	93¾	93¾	93¾
.....	99¾	99¾	99¾	99¾	99¾
.....	93¾	93¾	93¾	93¾	93

THE VERY LATEST.

WASHINGTON.

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 24, 1872.

THE SECRET SESSION.

The Senate spent five hours to-day on the additional article to the Treaty of Washington, and after recess resumed its consideration to-night, with the intention of continuing the session until final disposition should be made of it. The six amendments pending were discussed by their respective movers and other Senators. The precise character of these amendments has not transpired further than that they all seek to accomplish the design of the original article, and relieve the case before the Tribunal of Arbitrators from present embarrassments.

NEWS SUMMARY.

BY TELEGRAPH.

The impeachment trial of Charles A. Edmonds, Commissioner of the Michigan land office, has resulted in his acquittal on every one of eleven charges preferred against him by an ex-Deputy Commissioner, who had been removed.

J. B. Runion and E. B. Wright have purchased a large interest in the Chicago *Times*.

Daniel Webster Appleton, a grand-son of Daniel Webster, died in a Boston hospital yesterday, from the effects of burns received a few days ago in one of the lock-ups of that city, which he set on fire himself.

The Cincinnati express, eastward bound, collided with a freight train near Otisville, N. Y., Thursday, shattering the two engines and telescoping the baggage car. No lives lost.

The scandal telegraphed from Brooklyne, Tenn., about Mrs. Harrold and Andrew Johnson, is pronounced false. She was the wife of a warm friend of Johnson, and an exemplary Christian. The cruel and unfounded report of her seduction drove her to suicide in a moment of temporary insanity.

Buffalo Live Stock Market.

BUFFALO, MAY 24.—Cattle—Receipts 187, making the supply for the week 10,370, or 616 cars, against 358 last week. The market closed firm, with an upward tendency. There were very few purchasers at the yards to-day, and the sales were confined principally to the local trade. There were only 25 or 30 car loads in the yards, and only 3 car loads on the market. The owners, on account of the advance at the West and the proposed increase of freights, have concluded to hold for a better market next week. Sales 77 Illinois steers of 1,060 lbs at $6 90@6 95. Sheep—Receipts 1,200, making the supply for the week 8,800, against 6,800 last week. The market was firm at from $6 75 to $6 87½, and everything sold. Sales of clipped Ohio of 82 to 93 lbs at $6 25@7 20. Hogs—Receipts 2,300, making the supply for the week 14,400, against 10,000 last week. The market was dull and drooping; prices average from $4 35 to $4 45. There were only 6 car loads in the yards, and only one offering; no sales worth noting.

Remember the Name

Of the popular sewing machine we sell. It is the "Domestic." We can put to work several more stirring and reliable canvassers. No machine sells so easily and gives such satisfaction.

Stylish Spring and Summer Clothing.

All the latest and most fashionable styles of spring and summer clothing have just been received by Mr. J. Hannach, the popular clothier, formerly of Fifth avenue and Market street, but now at No. 5 Sixth street (late St. Clair.) Mr. Hannach has one of the finest and most complete stocks of ready made clothing in the city. His goods cannot be surpassed in make, style or price. Give him a call and examine the goods. tf

Buffalo Meat.

Messrs. Van Gorder & Shepard, No. 351 Liberty street, have just received two car loads of choice buffalo meat, to which they invite the attention of their customers and the public generally. Buffalo meat being far more juicy and palatable than dried beef, is rapidly taking its place. Our readers who desire to give it a trial should call on the firm named before their present supply is exhausted.

If You are for Grant

Or if you are for Greeley, you can be suited in a hat at Goodman & Mackley's, No. 117 Wood street.

North Homestead.

Ten good reasons why you should buy a quarter acre on the 17th of June:

They will never be bought so cheap again.

They are bound to increase in value rapidly, *because*

That is the most accessible suburb of the whole city—38 daily trains now stop at this station.

It is a most beautiful place; neither Italy nor the Rhine can surpass some of its scenery.

It will always be a healthy place, with pure water and pure air in abundance.

The lots are large enough for a garden, and shrubbery around every house.

It will be bought up and occupied by people who appreciate those things, and who will mutually enhance each others property by making good improvements.

The terms of sale are exceedingly liberal.

You can buy a quarter acre there as *easily* as you can buy twenty feet in less available locations.

If you wait till the improvements are made you have lost the chance of profit. *

The Favorite "Domestic"

Sewing machine has just been introduced into this market. The demand from the agencies is so great that machines can hardly be manufactured fast enough.

For the People.

Popular government commends itself to the people, and so does S. Hamilton & Co.'s plan of selling pianos and organs. It used to be that only those in affluent circumstances could get an instrument. Now any one who aspires to make their home comfortable and happy, and surround it with refining influences, be they in ever so humble circumstances, can call on S. Hamilton & Co., and rent either a piano or organ and have the rent go toward the purchase. All classes, both rich and poor, find it to their advantage to patronize this firm, as they will always find the largest stock in the city to select from, and always fresh, as they always sell any that become a little shop worn at cost, and as a consequence rarely ever have the same instruments on hand longer than sixty days. Again, their reputation is worth more to them than to allow them to sell anything but what can be strictly relied upon as represented. Out of the many hundreds who have patronized this firm, none can say they have ever been deceived by them. We earnestly advise all who think of purchasing to call on the firm, and we guarantee you will be suited, as their immense stock and great variety of styles and prices cannot fail to suit any who want an instrument. Even if you don't want to buy now call and see them anyhow; they do not consider it a trouble to show their instruments. Remember the place is S. Hamilton & Co.'s, 51 Fifth avenue, sign of the Celestes.

Go to R. E. Breed's

Butler and Fifty-fourth streets lot sale, by free excursion train, which leaves Union Depot at 9:40 Monday morning. T. F. Stewart, agent, No. 48 Fifth avenue. A. McIlwaine, auctioneer.

Examine, Test, Investigate,

Inquire, try and prove the "Domestic" sewing machine, and you will be satisfied with no other. It has several patents peculiar to itself, and no machine is so accurate, reliable, and in all respects reliable as this.

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Turkish Folding Spring Bed.

The best in the market, for sale only by E. Edmundson & Son's, 55 Market street.

FREE ART GALLERY.

A Fine Collection of Paintings—Where to Hear May be Spent Pleasantly.

It may not be generally known that there is a large and very excellent art gallery, containing a choice collection of oil paintings of both foreign and home artists, not excelled in Western Pennsylvania, open daily and free to all visitors. Such is nevertheless the fact, and our readers can spend an hour most pleasantly and profitably in studying the beautiful works of art on exhibition in the large hall in the rear of Messrs. J. J. Gillespie & Co.'s extensive and well known looking glass, picture and picture frame establishment, No. 86 Wood street, which has been fitted up by the firm for this express purpose. You will find in the collection superior paintings, elegant chromos and the finest steel engravings, and if you may want to buy anything in this line there is no place west of the mountains where you will be likely to be so thoroughly pleased as you will be with what you obtain at this house. Their frame manufacturing department is also very extensive, and in looking glasses and mirrors they have one of the largest stocks hereabouts. We would advise all our readers to make a visit to this establishment.

Lambrequins.

All the latest styles, at E. Edmundson & Son's, 55 Market street.

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Everything Complete

In the line of furnishing goods at C. I. Barr's, No. 98 Smithfield street.

Lace Curtains.

Largest stock in the city, at E. Edmundson & Son's, 55 Market street.

White, Brown and Variegated

Gossamer cloth colored ventilated hats at R. H. Palmer's, Nos. 149 and 151 Wood street.

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All the Nobby Styles

in hats at R. H. Palmer's, Nos. 149 and 151 Wood street.

A Novel Way of Obtaining a Watch

An accurate and reliable time piece is now within the reach of all who have occasion to require one. By a new system lately introduced by Mr. Mitsch, the popular Allegheny jeweler, you can buy an American watch by paying for it in weekly installments of one dollar each. This novel system of selling watches will no doubt prove as great a success as the monthly plan of selling sewing machines or musical instruments. Mr. Mitsch has a complete and attractive selection of watches, clocks and jewelry, all of which is offered at extremely low rates.

Swiss Hats

At R. H. Palmer's hat house, Nos. 149 and 151 Wood street.

The Popular Keystone.

There is probably no other sewing machine in the market at the present day that is increasing more rapidly in public estimation than the Keystone, which is represented. Mr. F. B. Kenner at his salesroom, No. 24 Fifth avenue, second story. This machine is elegant in style and finish. Its mechanical construction is quite simple; it combines all the modern improvements, while it avoids the defects existing in the old machines. We would advise all who contemplate the purchase of a sewing machine to call and examine the Keystone before determining upon any other.

Fine Furnishing Goods.

A complete assortment at C. I. Barr's, No. 98 Smithfield street.

New Books.

Everything fresh for summer reading at S. A. Clarke & Co.'s, 115 Wood street.

Plain and Ornamental Wood Cornice,

At E. Edmundson & Son's, 55 Market street.

9:40 Monday Morning.

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Tobacco and Cigars—A Well Known Dealer in a New Place.

Dealers in tobacco and cigars, users of the weed, and the many friends of Mr. John Sherer, the old and successful tobacconist, who has been out of business for a couple of years, will be pleased to learn that he has returned to his old pursuit, and is now located at the stand formerly occupied by Mr. J. G. Bagnell, No. 132 Smithfield street. He has improved, refurnished and refitted the room, and opened out with a large wholesale stock, entirely new and fresh, being a stock as fine as any in the city, comprising everything for the use of chewers and smokers from the finest Havana cigars down to Wheeling stogies, and including all the most celebrated and popular brands of tobacco. Those of our readers who have a predelection for the weed should give Mr. Sherer a call.

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Butler and Fifty-fourth streets lot sale, by free excursion train, which leaves Union Depot at 9:40 Monday morning. T. F. Stewart, agent, No. 48 Fifth avenue. A. McIlwaine, auctioneer.

Every Style

Of white and colored shirt known to the trade can be found at C. I. Barr's, No. 98 Smithfield street.

Legborn Hats

At R. H. Palmer's, Nos. 149 and 151 Wood street.

Shirts Made to Order.

A perfect fit and entire satisfaction guaranteed at C. I. Barr's, No. 98 Smithfield street.

Fine Stock of Boots and Shoes.

Our readers will find at the fashionable shoe store of Mr. W. G. Hoover, No. 28 Fifth avenue, the most desirable goods in the line of boots and shoes, at the lowest prices. All lines of spring and summer wear can be found at this establishment, and nowhere in the city can be found a finer or better selected stock, including as it does every description of boots, shoes or gaiters, for men, women, misses, youths, boys or children. We are satisfied that you can do no better when wanting anything in Mr. Hoover's line than to purchase the article desired at this well known boot and shoe emporium. Recollect that, considering the superiority of his goods, he offers great bargains, all of which can be ascertained by a visit to his establishment.

Shirts! Shirts!! Shirts!!!

Go to C. I. Barr's No. 98 Smithfield street, and buy your shirts, or leave your orders and have them made.

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Colored Shirts

At $1 60 at C. I. Barr's, No. 98 Smithfield street.

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The Celebrated Star Shirt

Is sold by C. I. Barr, No. 98 Smithfield street.

Bows, Ties, Scarfs,

Etc., a fine and full assortment, at C. I. Barr's, No. 98 Smithfield street.

The Trunk King—Liebler's New Allegheny

The great trunk king of this city, Joe Liebler, the man who has attained such wonderful success and popularity as trunk manufacturer and dealer, whose business has grown to the largest in the West, has just opened a new and elegant store in Allegheny, at No. 131 Federal street, in the building formerly occupied by Mr. J. H. Bailey, as a saddlery and harness establishment. The store has been purchased for the accommodation of Liebler's Allegheny customers, and will be kept stocked with a complete variety of all the goods kept at the central store, No. 104 Wood street. The prices also will be the same as they are at the central store—the lowest in the market. The saddlery and harness business will also be carried on at this store in all its branches.

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White and Colored Shirts,

Ready made and made to order, at C. I. Barr's, No. 98 Smithfield street.

Stylish Straw Goods

for children at R. H. Palmer's Nos. 149 and 151 Wood street.

The Sign of the Bee Hive.

At the well known merchant tailoring establishment, No. 225 Liberty street, gentlemen will find an assortment of goods sufficiently complete to meet their various demands and to satisfy their tastes, no matter how fastidious. The present firm, Messrs. T. Scandrett & Co., have not only replenished the stock to the fullest extent with all fashionable imported and domestic fabrics, but have also secured the services of two of the most experienced and artistic cutters from the city of New York, whereby they are enabled to guarantee perfect fits and satisfaction in every particular. At the sign of the Bee Hive will also be found one of the largest and most fashionable selections of gent's furnishing goods to be seen hereabouts. Gentlemen can do no better than leave an order for a summer suit, or buy their purchasing goods from Messrs. Scandrett & Co.

HATS FOR SUMMER WEAR.

Straw Goods at R. H. Palmer's—The Largest Stock and the Lowest Prices—A Few Words to the Trade, etc.

Dealers will find at R. H. Palmer's extensive hat house one of the most complete and perfect assortments of straw hats ever brought to this city. It includes Panama, Leghorn, Swiss, Palm Leaf, India Panama, shell straw, white, brown, and variegated Canton, etc., in endless variety, and in the greatest profusion. The advantages offered dealers by this house are the largest stock, best selected goods, the greatest variety, and the lowest prices. Every new and desirable style or description of goods in this line is offered at prices calculated to astonish the closest and shrewdest buyers. City and country merchants should by all means call and see the goods, and learn what superior inducements they can obtain by selecting from this stock before going elsewhere.

In every other department Mr. Palmer will be found equally prepared to meet the demands of the trade with superior goods at prices that defy competition. The advantage to dealers of buying where the largest stock is kept must be apparent, and when to this is superadded the superiority of the goods and the low prices prevailing at R. H. Palmer's, the accumulated evidence is overwhelmingly in favor of his house. The retail department is replete with the newest and most approved styles of silk, felt, straw, or other varieties of hats suitable for old and young, grave and gay. Dealers and individual buyers should, without unnecessary delay, acquaint themselves by personal inspection of the superiority of the goods, and the unusual extent and variety of the stock now on exhibition at Nos. 149 and 151 Wood street.

For Blank Books

Writing papers, envelopes and general stationery, call on S. A. Clarke & Co., 115 Wood street.

"Nothing Succeeds Like Success,"

Says the astute Talleyrand, and that "bee" of workers and prince of gentlemen, Mr. L. R. Norton, opposite new City Hall, seems to have been born to prove the truth of the apothegm. He opened his cosy organ and piano parlor only last February, bringing to this market the Jewett & Goodman Organ, and the F. C. Lighte Piano. In these four little months he has created a demand for those superb instruments, so great as to be utterly unable to meet the calls of his trade. The express, the telegraph, brains and energy have all done their share, but the goods themselves have done more toward the great end—success: and to-day Mr. Norton's name stands at the head of merchants in his line, and none to molest or make afraid.

Mr. N's plan of doing business is what is known as the one price system. His price lists do not say one thing and mean another. A fair profit is added to the first cost of his goods, and is expected from his patrons. His organs are all covered by a written guarantee, in which the instrument is completely identified, by style and number, and reciting by whom and to whom sold, and warranted by the agent, but by the makers. Ask for this kind of guarantee elsewhere, and you will be evaded. Norton gives it every time, and is the best possible test of the makers own belief in their work.

Go and see him.

White, Brown and Variegated

Canton hats, a fine assortment, at R. H. Palmer's, Nos. 149 and 151 Wood street.

See the New

Bevel and Silver Rail at Fifth Avenue House.

Caution.

Every genuine box of DR. MCLANE'S LIVER PILLS bears the signature of Fleming Brothers, Pittsburgh, Pa., and their private U. S. stamp. Take no other. The market is full of imitations.

It is the popular verdict that people who have been accustomed to the use of Bitters or Cordials, are obliged eventually to resort to MCLANE'S LIVER PILLS for permanent relief. s8

Palm Leaf Hats

In great variety at R. H. Palmer's, Nos. 149 and 151 Wood street.

Best and Only Family Medicine—Sandford's Liver Invigorator.

A purely vegetable cathartic tonic—for dyspepsia, constipation, debility, sick headache, bilious attacks and all derangements of liver, stomach and bowels. Ask your druggist for it. Beware of imitations. s

See the New

Bevel and Silver Rail.

Its Advantages.

The various makes of that very useful and, we might say, almost indispensable article in every household, the sewing machine, can all lay claim to common excellencies. But there are few that can maintain great advantages not found in any degree in the others. One of these, however, is the American, which excels every other machine yet invented, in the following features: It can work a beautiful button-hole, making as fine a pearl as by the hand: it will embroider over the edge, making a neat and beautiful border on any garment: it will work a beautiful eyelet-hole; it can do overhand seaming, by which pillow-cases, sheets and the like are sewed over and over. Those of our readers who are in any degree interested in sewing machines should call and see the operations of the American, at Mr. James Espy's parlor, No. 178 Liberty street.

Greeley and Anti-Greeley

Hats, at Goodman & Mackley's, No. 117 Wood street.

Novelties

In hats and caps all the time, at R. H. Palmer's Nos. 149 and 151 Wood street.

See the New

Bevel and Silver Rail at Fifth avenue House.

Gossamer Hats,

Different shades, at Goodman & Mackley's, No. 117 Wood street.

Who Get Rich?

The history of merchandising is the history of failure, ninety-five per cent. of all who enter commercial life sooner or later retire unsuccessful. The history of real estate is the history of wealth. Who knows anybody that was ever ruined by buying real estate? Many have lost by selling it too soon, and many more by not buying soon enough, but who ever lost by a reasonably discreet purchase. Reader, if you would get rich buy land. A farm if you are able—ten acres if your purse is lighter, an acre in the suburbs if you can get no more, or even a "two-by-four" in a by-way or back street is better than none. If you would begin to get rich begin to buy land. The right place to begin is where improvement *must come*. If you wait till it gets there you have lost *that* chance. Improvement follows the lines of communication. Within the city, between the Pennsylvania and Connellsville Roads, which together afford thirty-eight daily trains to and from the business center, lies North Homestead, where one-hundred and fifty quarter acre lots will be sold on the 17th of June, one-tenth cash, balance in nine years.

Full Assortment

Of hats and caps of the newest styles and at the lowest prices in the retail department of R. H. Palmer's hat house, Nos. 149 and 151 Wood street.

The Patent Ventilated Hat,

At Goodman & Mackley's, No. 117 Wood street.

See the New

Bevel and Silver Rail.

The Safest Savings Bank

Is a bank of ground. The quarter acre lots at North Homestead will be sold June 17th. A word to the wise, &c.

Now is Your Time!

If you ever intend to invest in suburban property don't miss getting some of the quarter acres at North Homestead. They will be sold June 17th.

Where Will You Put Your Money?

One hundred dollars put in the savings bank will in one year be worth one hundred and six dollars. The same amount paid on a quarter acre at North Homestead, or any other equally promising locality, cannot be worth less, and probably will be worth two or three hundred dollars. North Homestead will be sold out on the 17th of June.

See the New

Bevel and Silver Rail at Fifth Avenue House.

The Silk Hats

Kept by Goodman & Mackley, No. 117 Wood street, were all made especially for their trade at a celebrated eastern manufactory.

150 New Savings Banks!

The best savings bank is a bank of ground, and the best piece of ground to make a savings bank of is at North Homestead, in the Twenty-second ward, where thirty-eight trains, on two railroads, stop daily. These new banks will pay ten times the interest, and are safer than the other kind. The stock will all be taken on the 17th of June.

See the New

Bevel and Silver Rail.

North Homestead.

Have you been to North Homestead? If not, go by the three o'clock train on the Connellsville Railroad and return in time for tea; or better yet, go on the eleven o'clock, take your lunch along and spend the afternoon. It is a delightful excursion, and North Homestead is the only place in the city that has the advantage of both the Pennsylvania and Connellsville Roads. Thirty-eight trains stop daily at its stations. 150 quarter acres will be sold there on Monday, June 17. Ten yearly payments without interest.

See the New

Bevel and Silver Rail at Fifth Avenue House.

Pure Soft Water at North Homestead.

An abundant supply of excellent water can be had on almost every lot. A number of fine springs flow out of the solid rock.

The North Homestead

Quarter acres are all level enough to require no grading.

Nine Thousand Women

Inhabit a city in Siam, with none of the tyrant sex to molest or to make them afraid. Intrepid travelers who have approached it pronounce the clamor within its walls truly terrific. That would be a splendid place to sell improved Elliptic Sewing Machines.

All First Class Wine Dealers

Keep a full supply of Charles Heidsieck's "Extra" Champagne in store, and all judges of good wine drink none other.

See the New

Bevel and Silver Rail.

WHAT IS CATARRH?

"A disease of the *Nasal Cavities*" most persons will answer, but I tell you that in the majority of cases "*Catarrh*" means a chronic affection of that part of the air passages of the head which is *behind* the nasal cavities and *above* the throat.

The DOUCHE and other apparatus so much resorted to by those who do not know this fact, and so frequently recommended by ignorant and unscrupulous patent medicine venders who have a nostrum to dispose of, can not reach this part. *We must put our remedies in from the Throat*, and for this purpose I have constructed an instrument and long employed it in my practice.

One of the most prominent symptoms of this form of Catarrh is the accumulation of mucus or matter in the throat, most observable in the morning, upon arising, and requiring a "*hawking*" rasping effort to dislodge. In many cases there is a constant "*dropping*" into the throat. Over two thousand two hundred years ago, HIPPOCRATES, the "*Father of Medicine*, described *five* kinds of Consumption, and stated that the *second* variety was caused by this *dropping from the head*; and I assure you this cause is as fruitful and fatal at this day as it was at that period of the world's history.

But this form of Catarrh, if neglected, soon runs into OZENA, when the discharges become *offensive*, and Crusts and masses of tough, tenacious matter form in the upper part of the throat, above the palate, and in the forward nasal cavities, increasing the patient's distress, and rendering his presence and society offensive, if not unbearable.

Those so afflicted seldom realize its gravity, and are sometimes at a loss to understand why close conversation with friends and others should be avoided by them, and their caresses should be treated with seeming carelessness, if not ill disguised repugnance by those near and dear to them. Their condition in this respect is so repulsive, and a full realization of its truth so painful to delicate, sensitive and refined minds that few relatives or friends have the courage to inform them of the full extent and consequences of their malady.

In this way many are led to neglect their affliction for years, until it undermines the health and strength of the lungs, and with shattered frames, ruined constitutions and melancholy forebodings they painfully approach consumptives graves.

Of the truth of these observations I have daily proofs in my professional experience. I have labored for upwards of fifteen years in this field of medical practice. I have tested all the remedies and curative means ever proposed for this malady, and I assure you that no course will prove successful except that which I have described. I see more of this disease in a year than most physicians meet with in a lifetime, and if experience is of any value, I can certainly claim to speak authoritatively.

Examine this method, and see if it does not appeal to your judgment and meet with your ideas of what is necessary in your malady. Such matters, though alien to your ordinary conceptions, are not beyond your comprehension, and I shall at all times be pleased to explain it to those who desire to know more of it.

JAMES A. HUNTER, M. D.,
69 Fifth avenue.

Pittsburgh, May 24, 1872.

Great Stock of Furniture.

The wholesale and retail furniture establishment of Messrs. D. W. Huntsman & Co., at Nos. 41 and 43 West Ohio street, Allegheny, is undoubtedly one of the most extensive west of the mountains. The prices, too, at which goods are sold are lower than has ever been known in this market. The assortment embraces all the most elegant styles manufactured. Give them a call.

Country Dealers

In school books and stationery will find *low prices* at S. A. Clarke & Co.'s, 115 Wood street.

The Place to Buy Fine Carriages.

One of the finest and most attractive assortments of carriages phaetons, open and top buggies, barouches, buck-wagons, etc., on exhibition for inspection may now be seen at the Diamond Carriage Works of Messrs. McCallen, Cochran & Co., Nos. 52 and 53 West Diamond street, Allegheny City. The firm named are prepared to sell all customers, and whether you want a moderately cheap or the most fashionable or expensive style of vehicle, you have only to leave your order and you will obtain what you want at a reasonable price. The superiority and artistic finish of all the work turned out by them has earned for the Diamond Carriage Works an enviable reputation, equal to that of any other carriage manufactory here or in the East.

See the New

Bevel and Silver Rail at Fifth Avenue House.

For Medical Books

Send to S. A. Clarke & Co., 115 Wood street.

In Peace Prepare for War.

There is no security for the uninsured, and the danger of loss by fire is greater now than at any other time. Every one is liable to be burned out. Policies of insurance can be had at the office of the Live Insurance Co., 84 Fourth avenue. Assets, $1,000,000. Losses promptly paid. Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.

Illegal Licenses.

How they are granted, see "Law Column" in this week's *Real Estate Register*. Facts for all citizens. For sale by newsdealers.

Temperance Men

should read the "Law Column" in this week's *Real Estate Register*, and find how licenses are illegally granted under the new liquor law.

Every Law-Abiding Citizen

should read the "Law Column" in this week's *Real Estate Register*, and find how liquor licenses are illegally granted. For sale by newsdealers, or sample column will be sent to any address on receipt of stamp. Weekly $1 per year. Subscribe.

Lange on Kings

And Science Monthly for June, just received by S. A. Clarke & Co., 115 Wood street.

See the New

Bevel and Silver Rail.

Purchase Your Ticket by the Inman Line.

The attention of all who have determined upon going to Europe the present summer is invited to the advantages afforded by the full powered City built iron mail passenger steamships of the Inman line, represented in this city by Mr. Thos. H. Rattigan, No. 47 Smithfield street. Among the principal excellencies of this line are economy, safety, comfortable conditions, the best living, the greatest amount of comfort, security and safety attainable. The City of Antwerp will sail from New York on Thursday, May 30, and one on each Thursday and Saturday during the season. Plans of cabins may be seen and berths secured from Mr. Rattigan.

JOSEPH FLEMING,
84 Market street, Agent for Pittsburgh.

$1,000 REWARD.

For any case of Blind, Bleeding, Itching or Ulcerated Piles that DR. BINGS PILE REMEDY fails to cure. It is prepared expressly to cure the Piles and nothing else, and has cured cases of over 20 years standing. Sold by all Drug gists. Price $1 00. R. E. SELLERS & CO., Agents 45 Wood street, Pittsburgh. TTh

VENTURE PATTERN WORKS,

S. L. VERA, Proprietor,

TWENTIETH STREET, NEAR PENN STREET

PATTERNS and MODELS of all descriptions, made promptly, at reasonable rates.

PRODUCE IN STORE—

Clover and Timothy Seed,
Onion Sets,
Every variety Seed Potatoes,
500 bags Maple Sugar,
50 Tubs Ohio Roll Butter,
40 barrs s Eggs,
1,000 gall. Apple Butter, in pails,
3,000 boxes Ohio Peach Blows,
HENRY REA, JR.,
365 Liberty street, Pittsburgh.

COREY & CO., COAL AND COKE

Are prepared to furnish a Superior Article of

PITTSBURGH COKE,

Either in Cars for Western Orders or to the City Trade, Wholesale or Retail.
Office—362 LIBERTY STREET, Pittsburgh.

FOR SALE—

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DIED:

COSGRAVE—On Friday evening, at 6:30 o'clock, PATRICK COSGRAVE, in the fifty-ninth year of his age.

Funeral to take place from his late residence, No. 22 Union avenue, Allegheny city, on MONDAY, May 27th, at 9 o'clock A. M. The friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

RINEHART—On Friday, at 11:25 A. M., MARGARET, wife of William Rinehart, in the thirty-fifth year of her age.

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